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REMARKS

Claims 1, 3-5 and 11-15, which are pending in the application, were allowed by the Office Action dated December 21, 2005.

The Examiner indicated that there were two tables marked as Table 3 in the application and requested correction of the same.

Applicant is changing the second table marked Table 3 to read as "Table 4A" and is changing Table 4 to read as "Table 4B".

With this correction, the present application is now in condition for allowance and Applicant respectfully requests a Notice of Allowance. Should the Examiner have any questions regarding the above remarks, the Examiner is requested to telephone Applicant's representative at the number listed below.

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